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FOR THE ALUMNI OF SAINT JOSEPH'S COLLEGE

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Graduate of '41, in San Antonio, Is "Personality of the Week"

In a recent issue of The Alamo Register, diocesan newspaper of San Antonio, Tex., Herb Vilim, '41, was featured as the "Personality of the Week."

C.P.P.S. Takes Over West Coast Parishes

As of July 12, four Precious Blood priests are engaged in parish work in the archdiocese of San Francisco at the invitation of Archbishop Mitty.

Fr. Thomas Clayton, '31, has been assigned as pastor of St. Barnabas parish, Alameda, with Fr. Peter Brickner, '38, as assistant. Fr. Raymond Halker, '30, as pastor, and Fr. Bernard Ganger, '42, as assistant, have been assigned to St. Anthony parish in Manteca.

Fr. Clayton's parish is within the limits of the Naval Air Base to which he has been attached as chaplain for about one year. It was largely through his efforts and good will that the archbishop invited the Society into the area. As the archbishop wrote, "If Father Tom is a sample of what the Society has to offer, the West will be proud to have as many as can come."

New Record Set By Summer School

July 25—The SJC Summer Session, now in its last week, has broken all previous summer enrollment records.

Students total 137. Of these, 109 are sisters, representing 12 religious congregations. Students came from 16 states, as well as from Canada and Puerto Rico.

Fr. Edward Maziarz is again director of the Summer School.

The article came to Contact via a friend with the U. S. Navy in Far Eastern waters and via still another friend in Kentucky, U.S.A. Here it is . . .

At the age of 34, Herbert W. Vilim has probably attended more colleges, met more people, discovered more unknown relatives, been active in more organizations, and has more interests than any other three human beings.

It is very likely that he has had more to say, too. For one thing this indefatigable fellow never ceases to do is talk, and, phenomenally enough, every word is interesting.

A natural-born salesman for everything from washing machines to Christian education, Herb Vilim is among the most active Catholics in San Antonio.

Nominally a member of St. Gerard's Parish, he now finds time to cover all of San Antonio in a sort of one-man drive for Christian principles in business, education, recreation—and living in general.

Born in Chicago in 1920, Herb began an extended collegiate career at St. Victor's College in Kankakee, Ill. He received a B.A. degree in philosophy from St. Joseph's College, Rensselaer, Ind., in 1941.

Since then he has attended Chicago Teachers College, Loyola University in Chicago, San Antonio College, St. Mary's University, and Our Lady of the Lake College, where he emerged in 1953 with an M.A. degree in education.

People—Most Interesting

Herb finds people the most interesting of creatures and meets them in his work (as district manager of the American United Life Insurance Company and

R. Cody Heads National Association; Tom Brier, Jim Stang also Elected

Richard E. Cody, '41, has been elected national president of the St. Joseph's College Alumni Association, succeeding William Curosh, who held the position for one year. Cody's election is also for a one-year term.

Elected by mail balloting with the new president were Thomas A. Brier, '47, as first vice-president, and James H. Stang, '50, as second vice-president. Fr. John M. Lefko will continue in the post of secretary-treasurer, an appointive job.



DICK CODY

alumni as the 1949 associate editor of "Phase," and the editor of that publication the following year. From 1944-46, he was on active duty with the U. S. Navy, serving in Adak, Alaska, and Washington, D. C.

In 1948, Stang was married to Miss Carmelita T. Trick of Dayton. They have three sons.

general insurance salesman) and in his many activities.

He is at present program chairman for the San Antonio Junior Chamber of Commerce, co-chair-

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The New President

Dick Cody, a native of Louisville, Ky., is employed in that city as a claim representative for the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company. His office is at 310 W. Liberty.

Enrolling at St. Joseph's after his graduation from St. Xavier High School in Louisville, Cody received his A.B. degree in 1941. During World War II, he served in the European theatre with the U. S. Air Corps, winning the D. F. C. and Air with four Clusters.

After his release to inactive duty in 1945, Cody was employed as an investigator for the Retail Credit Co., and as claims adjuster by the Louisville Transit Co., a job he held until last year when he entered the insurance business.

President Cody is married to the former Miss Pauline A. Tonner, a daughter of Prof. Paul Tonner of the St. Joseph's faculty. They have three children, and their home is at 4193 Blenheim in Louisville.

First Vice-President

Tom Brier, who was graduated from St. Joseph's in 1947, is now a sales representative for General Foods, Inc., working out of Chicago. He and his wife, the former Miss Joan Murphy, live in Gary at 1059 No. Sullivan.

Brier is a veteran of three years with the U. S. Army. He is a member of the St. Thomas Council, Knights of Columbus.

Second Vice-President

Since his graduation from St. Joseph's in 1950, Jim Stang has been employed as associate realtor and salesman for the Herb Brown Realty Co., in Dayton, Ohio. His residence and business address is 41 S. Sperling.

Stang will be remembered by many of his fellow alumni as the 1949 associate editor of "Phase," and the editor of that publication the following year.

Nearly 600 Alumni Have Contributed

July 25—Proceeds from the 1955 Alumni Fund Appeal now total \$11,325, representing the gifts of 578 alumni.

The last mailing will be made to non-contributors sometime next week, according to Fr. John Lefko, chairman of the St. Joseph's College Foundation and director of the Appeal.

October 15 has been set as the date for closing this year's Appeal. The complete list of contributors, but with no amounts given, will be published in the November issue of "Contact."

Fr. Pax Speaks On TV "Pulpit"

Fr. Walter Pax, who only this summer took over as chairman of the Education Department at DePaul University, is already making his academic presence felt in the Chicago airwaves area. On July 10 he spoke on "The Pulpit" program, at 9:45 a. m. over WNEQ, Channel 5.

Speaking on the subject, "Catholic Education in the United States," Fr. Pax gave a clear, objective picture of the tremendous growth in our schools, from kindergarten to university, during the past ten years. He emphasized the large contribution which Catholic education is making to our American tradition.

Tom Schnieders Has Commission, Wings, and Wife

Thomas H. Schnieders, '53, has had an eventful season—becoming a U. S. Air Force navigator, a second lieutenant, and a bridegroom this summer.

Following his graduation from Aviation Cadet School, Lt.



Schnieders was married June 11, to Miss Delena Cordea of West Virginia, at St. John Baptist Church in Fort Wayne, Ind.

He received his commission and silver observer's wings at Harlingen Air Force Base, Texas, where he is now assigned as instructor in navigation with the 3611th Air Observer Training Squadron. Lt. and Mrs. Schnieders are living at 107 Linda St., in Harlingen.

Almost Like the "Old Days" . . .



Approximately 100 alumni and guests were on the campus June 18 for the '38-'54 class reunions. The day's activities included luncheon, cocktail party (lower photos), a great deal of sight-seeing and reminiscing, and a banquet (upper photo). Fr. Edward Maziarz, who has become Dean of the College since the '38-'54 alumni were students, gave a short talk at the banquet. (Photos by Fr. Richard Baird.)

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RANDALL E. DECKER, Editor

Msgr. A. W. Schilling Has Silver Jubilee

Msgr. Ambrose W. Schilling, '24, pastor of St. Bernard parish, Beverly, Ohio, observed the silver jubilee of his ordination on June 21.

Msgr. Schilling celebrated a Solemn Mass in his church at 10:30 a. m., with Bishop John K. Musio, bishop of Steubenville, presiding.

The celebrant was ordained by the late Bishop Hartley on May 29, 1930. Following his ordination he served various assistantships before his appointment as pastor of St. Joseph parish, Ironton. He remained there until going to St. Bernard in 1953.

Msgr. Schilling was raised to the rank of Domestic Prelate by Pope Pius XII in 1950.

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Information which will help the Alumni Office get these addresses corrected will be appreciated.

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Alex Druhoh ('30)
Archbold.

Alumni Quickies

Frank S. Clark, '51, was married July 23 to Miss Marge Rovinsky at Gesu Church, Detroit. They will make their home in Barcelona, Spain, where both have accepted positions as teachers. They can be reached through American Express, Barcelona . . . Charles Werling, '56, is now in the Band Section of the 69th Infantry Division at Fort Dix. On June 12 he appeared on the Ed Sullivan show. Charles, who plays a clarinet, stood in the front row holding a trombone, just to make things look balauced . . . Don Heuer, '52, is stationed with the 9th Radio Relay Squadron, 4418th Communications Group, Donaldson Air Force Base, S. C. He and his wife live in Greenville, 10 miles away. Don expects to return to St. Joe's next February . . . Peter Thom, '05, and his daughter visited the campus on July 11. He's been in the printing business in Chicago for many years . . . Don Gorman and Duke Meinert, both '53, and both fresh over from Germany, are civilians again and spending a good deal of time around Collegeville before going on for graduate work in the fall. Just now it looks as if Don will be at Indiana University, and Dnke at St. Louis U. . . Clayton Klein, '55, writes that Uncle Sam has called and that he (Clay) was planning to embark for an attempt at Naval OCS on July 11. There's going to be a Mrs. Clayton Klein sometime in the fall . . . Bob Shields, '44, and his wife visited Fr. Fehrenbacher and others on campus July 17. Bob, who is the father of three children, is in the investment business in Chicago Heights, where their home is also located . . . On June 15, Robert J. Eder, '52, opened his law office at 109 North Main Stret in Rushville, Ind. . . Third child for William L. Rowen, '45, and his wife, is little Kathleen Mary, born March 8. The Rowen family lives in Valparaiso . . . Herman W. Reas, M.D., '49, is about to complete his two years as regimental surgeon with the 325th Airborne Infantry Regiment. On Aug. 1, Dr. Reas will begin a pediatric residency in St. Louis Children's Hospital . . . Pete Varini, working for the Sun Oil Company, seems to have settled down in Abilene, Texas. He now lives in his own home with Mrs. Varini and their two daughters, Snsan and Debby, at 1273 Jefferson Drive. Pete is in charge of Sm's drilling operations in the Abilene area . . . Last heard from Cotter Tharin, '54, he had made supply sergeant in seven months and was stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C. At that time he was planning on a fall wedding with the "northern" girl from Illinois . . . Vic Toeppe, '50, still with Calco in New Orleans, is married and living in the Green Acres section of the city, where he and his wife own their own home.

Paul Gerber ('13)
R. D. 3, Bellevue.
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Carthagen.
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Under the Colors

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New York, N. Y.

We Hear . . .

from ST LOUIS 4, Missouri
I think you might like to know how your former foreign student is doing these days. For the past year I have been studying toward the Master of Science degree in Anatomy at St. Louis University (School of Medicine), which I shall receive this June.

My research for the thesis is an experimental study of the "histopathological changes of the nervous system of hypervitaminotic A rats." Part of the work was supported by the National Vitamins Foundation, and I was under a fellowship. Because a part of this work has not been demonstrated before and the result was dramatic, my paper was presented to the meeting of the American Association of Anatomists in the Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, and again to the federation meeting of the American Chemical Society in Los Angeles. The abstract was printed in the Anatomical Record, Vol. 121, p. 428, for the former meeting, and in the Federation Proceedings for the latter meeting (May 1955 issue).

Last month I received a formal acceptance from the School of Medicine, Creighton University, to study for the M.D. degree beginning Sept. 1955. It might take me only three years for that degree . . . I don't know where I will get the finances to get through medical school, for at least the first two years . . . I wonder if you know anyone or any organization which will lend money to poor medical students, to be paid back after graduation. I understand that some doctors will do that, but I don't know any well enough to make a loan.

Any assistance will be very much appreciated.

Very sincerely yours,
Wilkie J. Chung ('53)
3521 Vista Ave.
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from OCEANSIDE, California
Just a short note so that I might again be placed on the mailing list of any of the college publications. Appreciate your sending of the papers to my Quantico address, but was transferred out of there in March and haven't received anything from you since then.

My present position in this man's Marine Corps is that of Communications Watch Officer in the 1st Marine Division Headquarters Message Center. It is a little more responsibility than I bargained for, but very interesting work and I am quite pleased with it. This is only temporary duty, however, because I am soon slated to go the Naval Code and Crypto School at the San Diego Naval Base. Following this school I'll be coming back to Camp Pendleton to the same job or one very similar to it.

It was just about a year ago today that you were giving me some very good advice on my future military career . . . you mentioned, from your own experience, that mine could also be both a pleasant and profitable adventure. It has been all that and more. Aside from the practical experience, I have had some wonderful times, met some terrific people, and have managed to see practically all there is to see in the good old U. S. A.

Best Regards,
Ed Linskey ('54)
835 S. Pacific St.

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THE ANNUAL SERVERS DAY PICNIC at St. Joseph's this year attracted nearly 500 altar boys from parishes of the Lafayette diocese and the Calumet region. The fountain pool provided one popular sport—others were softball-playing; novelty racing and various other contests, including egg-throwing; hot-dog eating, and just plain yelling. Fr. Richard Laird was in charge, ably assisted by Jim Beane and the Xavier students. At the close of the day's activities, awards were given out and the boys attended Benediction in the fieldhouse.

Varied Activities Keep SJC Busy

Large numbers of people have been attracted to the St. Joe campus by the summer activities already completed. In addition to the summer school, these included the Catholic Institutional Workshop, the alumni reunion, the Servers Day picnic, a CYO convention, and various retreats.

More than 276 people have made spiritual retreats on the campus thus far this summer—21 Christian Brothers, 140-some Precious Blood priests, and 77 Alcoholics Anonymous. The first of the lay retreats, for 36 women, was held July 8-10.

The other retreat for laywomen will be held Aug. 5-7, and the two for laymen are scheduled for July 29-31, and Aug. 12-14. Information may be obtained from Fr. Marcellus Dreiling, director of retreats.

We Hear . . . (Continued from Page Two)

from SYRACUSE, New York
There is nothing we would like more than to attend the class reunion, but several things prevent us from attending—first of all, our boys don't get out of school until the last week in June. Since the winters are so cold and long, the children have quite a number of days off during the winter. Second, this is our busy season in the air-conditioning industry and vacations are at a premium. At present I'm preparing for our annual physical inventory, which requires plenty of preparations. And third, we have a new son, Stephan Joseph, born Jan. 1, 1955. We thought it was a wonderful way to start the new year.

Lorene sends her best regards and says Hello to those who do attend.

For a better and bigger St. Joe.
As ever,
Lloyd (Pappy) Prescott ('53)
137 Ford Ave.
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from BELSON-HOHNE, Germany
I intended to write sooner, but this business of being a soldier in Germany doesn't leave me much time . . . I've been promoted to the position of Tank Commander. However, that is no snap, because it puts me in the position of being directly responsible for about \$400,000 worth of equipment.

At present I'm in Belson-Hohne, just north of Hanover. The company is up here for two months of gunnery practice. My permanent station is in Augsburg.

Germany is quite a country. Almost every German rides a bicycle and carries that ever-present briefcase in which is housed sandwiches and work clothes. You ought to see their forests here. They're beautiful.

While up in northern Germany, Protestantism reigns supreme; southern Germany is predominantly Catholic. These German Catholics have a faith in Almighty God unmatched by any American Catholic . . .

My new tank is 20 feet long, 11 feet wide, and 11 feet tall. She weighs 50 tons and can travel 40 miles per hour. I personally supervised the firing of her 90 mm. gun the other day. The gun recoils 12 to 14 inches, and when she fires the whole vehicle rocks. So far we have lost only one man this season. He got the brainy idea of watching the recoil from a rearward position. . . .

I'll close for now, because I just got a three-day pass and intend to go to Essen to visit some relatives I've never seen before.

Sincerely,
George W. Huber ('57)
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from PORTSMOUTH, Virginia
It seems a long time since the Class of '53 said goodbye to college days at St. Joe. Since then life in the U. S. Navy has made me appreciate the good times we enjoyed at "Twin Towers."

I expect to be out around Aug. 8, and hope to embark upon the life of a school teacher. My wife and I have been living here in Portsmouth, where I am stationed, and I have been offered a position teaching in this area . . .

I keep in touch with all St. Joe activities through CONTACT, which my father forwards to me. The new building project certainly looks like a wonderful addition to the campus.

Many times I thank God for the splendid education I received there. I am looking forward to a visit at Collegeville as soon as my time allows.

Sincerely,
John Wolfe ('53)
8 Pawnee Dr., Apt. P.
* * * * *

from JOLIET, Illinois
Although I have been corresponding with some of the Fathers at the college since the days of '42, I don't think I have ever written to the Alumni Office. Each time CONTACT arrives, I read each line of it with great interest and vow that I am going to write you.

First of all, I would like it to be known that on the 18th of April, little Lois Singletary arrived in this world. She tipped the scales at 8 pounds, 13 ounces. This evened the score in our family at three boys and three girls.

As you can see by the letterhead, I am employed by the Fowler Piano Company. I have been with this company for the past six years, serving as office-manager.

That takes care of the important things for now. Will close for now, with the best of luck to everyone at St. Joe's.

Yours very truly,
John E. Singletary ('42)
Fowler Piano Company
104-106 N. Ottawa St.

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Ed Fleming Chosen Father of the Year

Edward R. Fleming, '42, was recently chosen "Father of the Year" in Fairmont, W. Va.

Fleming, a special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation, is the father of three children, twin sons three-and-a-half years old, and a daughter, age one. His wife is the former Miss Mary Jo Stolpmann of Miami Beach, Fla.

The Father of the Year was selected for his outstanding work in the field of crime prevention and juvenile delinquency. He was presented with a scroll and gift certificate.

Fleming is in charge of the Fairmont office of the Pittsburgh division of the F.B.I. Following his graduation from St. Joseph's College, he attended Georgetown University School of Law.

During World War II, Fleming served in the Criminal Investigation Division of the U. S. Army.

Bears Train Again On St. Joe Campus

The Chicago Bears have opened training for their 12th consecutive summer at St. Joseph's, the rookies and a few old-timers arriving on July 19, the others on July 26.

Head Coach George Halas, who has won more football games than any other coach in history, has announced that he will retire at the end of the 1955 season, thus completing his 30th season at the helm. He will continue to serve as president of the club.

The Bears are scheduled to play an intrasquad benefit game for St. Joseph's, on the College gridiron, Sunday afternoon, Aug. 7.

Personality . . .

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man of the Catholic Interracial Council, chairman of the education committee of the Northwest Exchange Club of San Antonio, speech instructor in the St. Mary's University adult education department, administrator for the Our Lady of the Lake Special College Endowment Fund, a member of the Toastmasters' Club, neighborhood commissioner for the Boy Scouts of America in both St. Gerard's and St. Cecilia's parishes, and a member of the St. Gerard's Fathers' Club and Holy Name Society.

Herb developed a penchant for relative-hunting in World War II when stationed as an instructor in high school and college subjects with the U. S. Armed Forces Institute in Australia and the Philippines.

He was discharged from the Army in 1946 in Australia. He stayed there throughout the next

IN THE ICC, 1955												
1955 FINAL BASEBALL STANDINGS												
	W	L	Pct.									
Valparaiso -----	7	1	.875									
St. Joseph's -----	5	4	.555									
Evansville -----	5	4	.555									
DePauw -----	5	5	.500									
Indiana State -----	3	5	.375									
Butler -----	3	5	.375									
Ball State -----	4	8	.333									
PITCHING STATISTICS												
(Top Six)												
Player	School	G	IP	H	BB	SO	ER	WP	HB	W	L	Pct
Seltz—Valparaiso		6	45 1/3	32	18	45	10	2	4	3	0	1.000
George—Evansville		5	43	38	17	25	--	--	--	4	1	.800
Phillips—DePauw		7	43 1/3	48	19	29	13	2	1	4	3	.571
Smith—Ball State		5	18 2/3	30	4	9	15	2	3	2	1	.666
Jancich—St. Joseph's		6	37 1/3	33	17	28	12	1	0	2	1	.666
Harvey—Butler		5	32	26	16	16	9	1	0	2	2	.500
INDIVIDUAL BATTING AVERAGES												
Player	Pos.	School	G	AB	H	AV.						
Martin, Dave -----	2B	Ball State	12	47	22	.468						
Schrier, Bob -----	OF	DePauw	10	41	18	.439						
Beveri, Don -----	IF	DePauw	9	28	12	.429						
Banker, Jerry -----	C	Ball State	10	40	16	.400						
Martens, Walt -----	OF	DePauw	10	39	15	.385						
Wasni, Bob -----	LF	St. Joseph's	9	32	12	.375						
Sanburn, Dick -----	3B	Ball State	9	35	13	.371						
Cox, Clyde -----	1B	Evansville	9	33	12	.364						
Seamon, Ken -----	C	Butler	8	23	8	.348						
Schreiber, Ken -----	CF	Valparaiso	8	29	10	.345						
Phillips, Al -----	P	DePauw	7	18	6	.333						
Normandt, Don -----	CF	St. Joseph's	9	36	12	.333						
Riley, Ray -----	C	Butler	8	6	2	.333						
Keithley, Richard -----	SS	Ball State	11	37	12	.324						
Wolfe, Bob -----	OF	Butler	8	31	10	.323						
Massucci, Jack -----	OF	Valparaiso	8	26	8	.308						
ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM												
Position	Name		School									
First Base -----	Cox, Clyde -----		Evansville									
Second Base -----	Dome, Bob -----		Indiana State									
Third Base -----	Redenbacher, Leon -----		Butler									
Shortstop -----	Martin, Dave -----		Ball State									
Outfield -----	Schrier, Bob -----		DePauw									
	Martens, Wally -----		DePauw									
	Schreiber, Ken -----		Valparaiso									
	Wasni, Bob -----		St. Joseph's									
	Normandt, Don -----		St. Joseph's									
Pitchers -----	Seltz, Doug -----		Valparaiso									
	Smith, Henry -----		Indiana State									
	George, Robert "Bud" -----		Evansville									
Catchers -----	Pierce, Bob -----		DePauw									

year, clambering through the branches of his family tree for descendants of the Vilim tribe. He contacted some 60 families there, all linked back to members of his family who settled there many moons ago.

Herb lists Catholic education specifically and education generally as among his primary interests, following closely behind family, Church, and community activities.

He started elementary education work in Chicago in 1943, took part in the Veterans' Training Program in San Antonio from 1948 to 1950, and was an instructor at the Lackland Officer Candidate School from 1950 to 1952.

Family Rates First
Of primary importance among

his many varied activities, Herb puts the rearing of his family. He was married in 1951 to Aileen Vanderhider, a 1950 graduate of Our Lady of the Lake College, and now boasts two lovely daughters, Kathleen Ann and Jeanne Marie.

The active little man says he has sold just about everything that people will buy at some time or other during his career, and from such experience he has no doubt augmented his loquacity. But unlike most talkative folks, Herb can speak and everyone listens. An even more remarkable characteristic is that all his words are backed by the firm conviction of a staunch Catholic man.

Congratulations to Herb Vilim, another outstanding personality of this and every other week!

Do You Know Who --- or When?



Kellogg-McAleer Vows Made In Ceremony at St. Augustine's

Willard Kellogg, '55, was married June 25 to Miss Marvous McAleer of Rensselaer. The ceremony was performed by Fr. John Nagele, '46, in St. Augustine Church.

Terry McCarthy, '55, attended the bridegroom as best man. Ushers were Don Merki, '55, and Leo Tarpey, '55. Following the ceremony, a reception was held in Raleigh Hall at St. Joseph's.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAleer. Her father is a former member of the SJC staff. She has worked at Rensselaer city hall and, in previous summers, as lifeguard and instructor at the municipal

swimming pool.

Mrs. Kellogg has also attended Indiana State Teachers College, where she affiliated with Chi Omega and Tri Kappa.

The bridegroom was a star guard on the Puma basketball teams, and served as president of his class during his junior and senior years. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kellogg, Sr., of 17 North Mason Ave., Chicago.

Since the wedding trip, the couple is living at 102 Oak St., Rensselaer. In August, when Kellogg enters the U. S. Marine Corps as a second lieutenant, he and his wife will move to Quantico, Va.



We Hear . . . (Continued from Page Three)

from WEWAHITCHKA, Florida

. A lot of time has whistled by since the class of 1942 stomped down the aisle to pick up a sheet of paper and then go marching off to a war or two. To date I've cut no great swathe in the world, but I've finally settled down in a small town where, in time, I hope to make my mark, insignificant though it may be.

I've dipped my gnarled mitt into quite a few modes of human endeavor since slipping off the graduation robes. If you're interested, I'll give you the briefest of resumes.

I waved the flag for Uncle Sam from 1943 to 1946, spending part of that time in the Mariannas campaign. Then I entered the University of Florida, working my way through a Master's in English Literature and the better part of my way through a Ph.D. in the same area (everything except finishing my dissertation). Who should come along again then but Uncle Sugar! I got the Master's in June 1948, teaching many illiterate college freshmen the in's and out's of Grammar and Composition and working on the degree over a two-year period. In 1948 I was awarded a fellowship to continue my studies at the doctorate level, which I did until 1950, when my GI time ran out, my sanity was on the verge of running out, and Uncle Sam was breathing down my neck because I belonged to the Organized Naval Reserve.

Uncle Sam won out and sent me to Adak, Alaska, in March 1951 for 18 months, then to Washington, D. C., for about another 18. I was all set to return to the university to finish up the mess I'd started, when "opportunity" to buy this weekly newspaper came along. I did it, and now I've been working 24 hours a day ever since. It wasn't the sharpest business deal I've made, but I've got it now and I'm trying to work it into something that'll only take 18 hours of my day.

When that happens, I'm going to go fishing, which is why I bought out this newspaper in the first place— it's in good hunting and fishing country.

Unless my classmates come down here to see me, I doubt very seriously that I shall see any of them before our 20th anniversary in 1962. Meantime, I'll continue to spend many nostalgic moments re-living those four years we all spent together.

I've got a daughter, age 10 or 11, I've forgotten which— I don't see her very often, you know . . . just when she comes in to clean up the shop . . .

Fondest regards,
Ed Bandjough ('42)
The Gulf County Breeze

Joseph Vurpillat Dies Suddenly

Joseph Vurpillat, '09, died suddenly June 28, in the Huntington (Ind.) drugstore where he was employed. He was the victim of a heart attack.

Mr. Vurpillat, a son of the late J. D. Vurpillat of Winamac, Ind., had previously suffered a stroke and had only recently returned to work. He was 65 years old.

Surviving are a son, Joseph, of Long Island City, N. Y., a sister and two brothers, one of whom is Msgr. Edward Vurpillat, '06, dean of the Michigan City deanery and pastor of St. Mary's Church there.

Funeral services were held at SS. Peter and Paul Church in Huntington on July 1.

Two Valuable Paintings Gift of Kryl to College

Bohumir Kryl, famous symphony conductor and long-time friend of St. Joseph's, has given the College two more paintings from his valuable collection. His first gift, a Zampieri painting, "Christ in Glory," became SJC property last winter.

One of the later gifts is a Modern French painting of St. Agnes Church in Prague, by La-Coque, valued at \$1500. The other, valued at \$3500, is a 17th century painting by Jacob Esselens.

Fr. Albin Ratermann Observes Silver Jubilee

Fr. Albin H. Ratermann, '24, a priest of the Archdiocese of Cincinnati, observed his silver jubilee in the priesthood on June 5.

Celebrating a Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving in Holy Name Church, Cincinnati, Fr. Ratermann was assisted by another St. Joe alumnus as sub-deacon—Fr. Edward B. Kotter, '25. Fr. Philip J. Rose, '24, preached the sermon.

Fr. Ratermann was ordained June 14, 1930, by Bishop Joseph H. Albers, former auxiliary bishop of Cincinnati and bishop of Lansing, Mich.

A native of Ft. Loramie, Ohio, Fr. Ratermann attended diocesan seminaries after leaving St. Joseph's.

After serving brief assistant-

13 Alumni Ordained Precious Blood Priests

Thirteen members of the Society of the Precious Blood were ordained to the priesthood June 11, at St. Charles Seminary.

The new priests are: Fathers Clinton J. Farabaugh, Joseph F. Egan, Joseph C. Herber, Richard C. Woytych, Carl A. Wise, A. Michael Lizza, Donald Ritzler, James E. Froelich, James P. McKay, Milton A. Ballor, John R. Dueweke, Bernard Meiring and Ronald J. Schmil.

Auxiliary Bishop Clarence G. Isenmann officiated at the ordination ceremonies. Immediately afterward, Fr. Provincial Seraphin W. Oberhauser invested the new priests with the mission cross of the society.

Registrations Indicate Enrollment Near 800

Enrollment for the 1955 fall term will be close to 800, judging by the present registration records. As of July 25, approximately 600 new applications had been received.

Of these, 380 had been approved, some cancelled, and the rest were being held for entrance examinations or for further consideration.

Admissions Counselor Fr. Baird's records show that, last year, St. Joe students were products of 218 high schools (131 of them Catholic schools), in 182 cities of 20 states and five countries.



BENNETT HALL IS OCCUPIED for the first time, as Summer Session sisters move in to make room for the Chicago Bears in Merlini Hall, where the sisters had been living. (Photo by Fr. Baird.)

Lost Addresses . . .

Raymond V. Camp ('42)
405 Clinton St., Defiance.
Harold Miehl ('16)
Fort Jennings.
William R. Grevencamp ('50)
W. Butler St., Ft. Recovery.
Charles Mergy ('10)
1010 S. Front St., Hamilton.
Michael H. O'Connor ('37)
623 N. Metcalf St., Lima.
William P. Tobin ('45)
498 Oak St., Marion.

Condolences

To Fr. Aloys Feldhaus, '17, on the death of his brother Fr. Edward Feldhaus, of the Marquette diocese.

To Dick Scharf, '38, and Kay, on the death of her mother, Mrs. Kathryn Enright, in Hammond, Ind., on July 5.

To Fr. Edward Maziarz, '35, on the death of his brother, Stanley Maziarz, in Wilmington, Del., on July 17.

Alumni Support Hits All-Time High

(From the "College and University Bulletin," May 1, 1955)

A record total of \$21,619,035 was contributed in 1954 by 791,008 alumni to the support of 352 institutions. This represents a gain of \$5,000,000 over comparable figures for 1953 as reported by the 1954 Alumni Fund Survey published by the American Alumni Council.

Aside from the response to solicitations for annual alumni gifts, an additional \$40,066,363 came to the institutions from alumni in the form of gifts and bequests that were not credited to the annual alumni funds.

Top honors in the amount and number of alumni contributions on the Honor Rolls of 1954 Alumni Funds established by the American Alumni Council were taken by Harvard University with \$1,233,448 being contributed by 30,402 alumni.

Princeton upset Dartmouth for the first time in their keen competition for the distinction of showing the highest percentage of alumni contributing to the fund.

The fourth honor roll, established this year for the first time, found Wesleyan University leading in total percentage of Alumni Giving to the Institutions with \$7,030,291.

Can Yours Top This?



JOHN R. MATTINGLY, '14, and his wife and family of six daughters and five sons. Mr. Mattingly, a farmer, lives near Paris, Ill.